

SUPPORTING THE GOALS AND IDEALS OF NATIONAL IDIOPATHIC PULMONARY FIBROSIS AWARENESS WEEK

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and agree to the concurrent resolution, H. Con. Res. 182, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the concurrent resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentlewoman from Wisconsin (Ms. BALDWIN) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the concurrent resolution, H. Con. Res. 182.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 414, nays 0, not voting 17, as follows:

[Roll No. 971]

YEAS—414

Abercrombie	Chabot	Franks (AZ)
Ackerman	Chandler	Frelinghuysen
Aderholt	Clarke	Galleghy
Alexander	Clay	Garrett (NJ)
Allen	Cleaver	Gerlach
Altmire	Coble	Giffords
Andrews	Cohen	Gilchrest
Arcuri	Cole (OK)	Gillibrand
Baca	Conaway	Gingrey
Bachmann	Conyers	Gohmert
Bachus	Cooper	Gonzalez
Baird	Costa	Goode
Baker	Costello	Goodlatte
Baldwin	Courtney	Gordon
Barrett (SC)	Cramer	Granger
Barrow	Crenshaw	Graves
Bartlett (MD)	Crowley	Green, Al
Barton (TX)	Cuellar	Green, Gene
Bean	Culberson	Grijalva
Becerra	Cummings	Gutierrez
Berkley	Davis (AL)	Hall (NY)
Berman	Davis (CA)	Hall (TX)
Berry	Davis (IL)	Hare
Biggert	Davis (KY)	Harman
Bilbray	Davis, David	Hastert
Billrakis	Davis, Lincoln	Hastings (FL)
Bishop (GA)	Davis, Tom	Hastings (WA)
Bishop (NY)	Deal (GA)	Hayes
Bishop (UT)	DeFazio	Heller
Blackburn	DeGette	Hensarling
Blumenauer	Delahunt	Herger
Bonner	DeLauro	Hereth Sandlin
Bono	Dent	Higgins
Boozman	Diaz-Balart, L.	Hill
Boren	Diaz-Balart, M.	Hinchey
Boswell	Dicks	Hinojosa
Boucher	Dingell	Hirono
Boustany	Doggett	Hobson
Boyd (FL)	Donnelly	Hodes
Boyd (KS)	Doolittle	Hoekstra
Brady (PA)	Doyle	Holden
Brady (TX)	Drake	Holt
Braley (IA)	Dreier	Honda
Broun (GA)	Duncan	Hooley
Brown (SC)	Edwards	Hoyer
Brown, Corrine	Ehlers	Hulshof
Brown-Waite,	Ellison	Hunter
Ginny	Ellsworth	Inglis (SC)
Buchanan	Emanuel	Inslee
Burgess	Emerson	Israel
Burton (IN)	Engel	Issa
Butterfield	English (PA)	Jackson (IL)
Buyer	Eshoo	Jackson-Lee
Calvert	Etheridge	(TX)
Camp (MI)	Everett	Jefferson
Campbell (CA)	Fallin	Johnson (GA)
Cannon	Farr	Johnson, Sam
Cantor	Fattah	Jones (NC)
Capito	Feeney	Jones (OH)
Capps	Ferguson	Jordan
Capuano	Filner	Kagen
Cardoza	Flake	Kanjorski
Carnahan	Forbes	Kaptur
Carney	Fortenberry	Keller
Carter	Fossella	Kennedy
Castle	Fox	Kildee
Castor	Frank (MA)	Kilpatrick

Kind	Moran (KS)	Schwartz
King (IA)	Moran (VA)	Scott (GA)
King (NY)	Murphy (CT)	Scott (VA)
Kingston	Murphy, Patrick	Sensenbrenner
Kirk	Murphy, Tim	Serrano
Klein (FL)	Murtha	Sessions
Kline (MN)	Musgrave	Sestak
Knollenberg	Myrick	Shadegg
Kucinich	Nadler	Shays
Kuhl (NY)	Napolitano	Shea-Porter
LaHood	Neal (MA)	Sherman
Lamborn	Neugebauer	Shimkus
Lampson	Nunes	Shuler
Langevin	Oberstar	Shuster
Lantos	Obey	Simpson
Larsen (WA)	Oliver	Sires
Larson (CT)	Ortiz	Skelton
Latham	Pallone	Slaughter
LaTourette	Pascarell	Smith (NE)
Lee	Pastor	Smith (NJ)
Levin	Paul	Smith (TX)
Lewis (CA)	Payne	Smith (WA)
Lewis (GA)	Pearce	Snyder
Lewis (KY)	Pence	Solis
Linder	Perlmuter	Souder
Lipinski	Peterson (MN)	Space
LoBiondo	Petri	Spratt
Loebach	Pickering	Stark
Lofgren, Zoe	Pitts	Stearns
Lowe	Platts	Stupak
Lucas	Poe	Sullivan
Lungren, Daniel E.	Pomeroy	Sutton
	Porter	Tanner
	Price (GA)	Tauscher
	Price (NC)	Terry
	Pryce (OH)	Thompson (CA)
	Putnam	Thompson (MS)
	Radanovich	Thornberry
	Rahall	Tiahrt
	Ramstad	Tiberi
	Rangel	Tierney
	Regula	Towns
	Rehberg	Turner
	Reichert	Udall (CO)
	Renzi	Udall (NM)
	Reyes	Upton
	Reynolds	Van Hollen
	Richardson	Velázquez
	Rodriguez	Visclosky
	Rogers (AL)	Walberg
	Rogers (KY)	Walden (OR)
	Rogers (MI)	Walsh (NY)
	Rohrabacher	Walz (MN)
	Ros-Lehtinen	Wamp
	Roskam	Wasserman
	Ross	Schultz
	Rothman	Watson
	Roybal-Allard	Watt
	Royce	Waxman
	Ruppersberger	Weiner
	Rush	Welch (VT)
	Ryan (OH)	Weldon (FL)
	Ryan (WI)	Westmoreland
	Salazar	Wexler
	Sali	Wicker
	Sánchez, Linda T.	Wilson (NM)
	Sanchez, Loretta	Wilson (SC)
	Sarbanes	Wolf
	Saxton	Wu
	Schakowsky	Wynn
	Schiff	Yarmuth
	Schmidt	Young (AK)
		Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—17

Akin	Jindal	Waters
Blunt	Johnson (IL)	Weller
Boehner	Johnson, E. B.	Whitfield
Carson	Peterson (PA)	Wilson (OH)
Clyburn	Tancred	Woolsey
Cubin	Taylor	

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So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois. Mr. Speaker, unfortunately today, October 16, 2007, I was unable to cast my votes on H. Res. 734, H.R.

2295, and H. Con. Res. 182 and wish the RECORD to reflect my intentions had I been able to vote.

Had I been present for rollcall No. 969 on passing H. Res. 734, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the withholding of information relating to corruption in Iraq, I would have "aye."

Had I been present for rollcall No. 970 on suspending the rules and passing H.R. 2295, the ALS Registry Act, I would have voted "aye."

Had I been present for rollcall No. 971 on suspending the rules and passing H. Con. Res. 182, supporting the goals and ideals of National Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis Awareness Week, I would have voted "aye."

FREE FLOW OF INFORMATION ACT OF 2007

Mr. CONYERS. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to House Resolution 742, I call up the bill (H.R. 2102) to maintain the free flow of information to the public by providing conditions for the federally compelled disclosure of information by certain persons connected with the news media, and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The text of the bill is as follows:

H.R. 2102

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Free Flow of Information Act of 2007".

SEC. 2. COMPELLED DISCLOSURE FROM COVERED PERSONS.

(a) CONDITIONS FOR COMPELLED DISCLOSURE.—In any proceeding or in connection with any issue arising under Federal law, a Federal entity may not compel a covered person to provide testimony or produce any document related to information possessed by such covered person as part of engaging in journalism, unless a court determines by a preponderance of the evidence, after providing notice and an opportunity to be heard to such covered person—

(1) that the party seeking to compel production of such testimony or document has exhausted all reasonable alternative sources (other than a covered person) of the testimony or document;

(2) that—

(A) in a criminal investigation or prosecution, based on information obtained from a person other than the covered person—

(i) there are reasonable grounds to believe that a crime has occurred; and

(ii) the testimony or document sought is essential to the investigation or prosecution or to the defense against the prosecution; or

(B) in a matter other than a criminal investigation or prosecution, based on information obtained from a person other than the covered person, the testimony or document sought is essential to the successful completion of the matter;

(3) in the case that the testimony or document sought could reveal the identity of a source of information or include any information that could reasonably be expected to lead to the discovery of the identity of such a source, that—

(A) disclosure of the identity of such a source is necessary to prevent imminent and actual harm to national security with the objective to prevent such harm;

(B) disclosure of the identity of such a source is necessary to prevent imminent